

Keeping Constantly at It Brings Success

THE HENDERSON GOLD LEAF, a paper of the highest quality, is published weekly, and is the only paper of its kind in the South. It is a paper of the highest quality, and is the only paper of its kind in the South. It is a paper of the highest quality, and is the only paper of its kind in the South.

There was a cutting scrape on Montgomery street Tuesday afternoon between two negroes, W. H. Ward and James Alston. Ward inflicted two severe cuts on Alston's head, and his coat was ripped several inches in the back.

Mr. Nathan Whitfield, of New Haven, Conn., who has been visiting friends here for some time, left Tuesday for a short stay in Rocky Mount before returning home. He will be joined in Weldon Saturday by Mr. Clifton Bullock, of Henderson, who goes to make his home in New Haven.

Married—at the residence of the bride's father Nov. 23d, Miss Georgie E. Stainback to Mr. P. Ellis. After the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the residence of Mr. E. S. Ellis where a reception was held. Dancing was enjoyed by a large number of the young people of the neighborhood until a late hour and amid congratulations and good byes the guests departed, wishing the bride and groom a long happy and useful future.

Says an exchange, and very truly: No sensible man ever gets angry because a newspaper man duns him for his money. A dun is not an impeachment of a subscriber's integrity, but is simply an outcropping of a publisher's necessities. For instance, a thousand men owe a man from \$1 to \$5, he has to dun them in order to pay his expenses. Instead of getting angry and stopping the paper because a publisher asks what is due, the subscriber should thank the editor for waiting so patiently and pay up like a man.

Gilmer High School.
Honor roll for 3rd month, 1897, Sam Allen, Frank Harris, Hal Hunter, Hiram Thresher, Sam Watkins.

Ladies, buy your Meats for Thanksgiving.
CHURCH & CO.

When Frost Appeared.
Upon asking Mr. M. B. Prince for information in regard to the first appearance of frost, he gave us the following from his diary:

In 1892 the first frost occurred Nov. 6, '93, Oct. 30; '94, Nov. 8; '95, Nov. 21; '96, Oct. 19; '97, Nov. 12. (See) and on the 18th the heaviest frost fell with the temperature at 28 degrees.

We are offering special bargains in Clothing and Goods. Furnishing Goods. Look through our stock.
BARNES CLOTHING STORE.

Bring the Bottled and Mixed Pickles. The Best.
CHURCH & CO.

Pecans in Vance.
Since the GOLD LEAF's notice on pecan culture some time ago we have heard of other trees that are producing successfully in Vance county. We are informed that Mr. Jas. H. Gill has two acres in pecan trees, ten years old, in fine bearing. The nuts are well matured and the yield satisfactory. Mr. Plummer Rowland tells us that he has eight acres in young trees in a thrifty condition but not yet in bearing. It appears from experience made that pecans can be grown successfully in this part of the country.

Watermelons all the Year Round.
Ex-Senator J. J. Goodwyn appears to have solved the problem of having watermelons all the year round. He continues to bring them in to market and some very fine ones. He informs us that he expects to have them until Christmas. He is the only farmer in the county who has the seed that will produce melons as late as this. He will sell a small quantity of these wonderful seeds to any who apply and will also give instructions on the art of raising melons in the winter as well as in summer.—Weldon News.

New goods still continue to come at H. Thompson's. The latest in velvet and silk to call and see the new silks for trimmings. They are so nice.
CHURCH & CO.

Horse and Buggy Lost.
A funny little incident occurred a few days ago to one of our prominent "Young" business men who usually ties his horse to a certain post on the street while attending to matters of business in the town. On a particular occasion he left his horse at a shop for shoeing, and after rushing around for a while and dinner approaching, he went to the usual place when he found his horse was there. His memory did not recover until he had borrowed a horse and driven to the shop in search of the missing rig. He said: "I do not think I am old enough to be absent-minded but I certainly felt right foolish."

London Layer Baiting 10 cts. per pound, also seedless Muscadels, at **CHURCH & CO.**

If you want to buy good goods cheap go to **H. THOMPSON'S.**

Celebrated Their Fifty-Fifth Anniversary.
From the Warrenton Record we take the following which will be read with interest by the friends of the estimable couple mentioned. And they will at the same time extend hearty congratulations upon the auspicious event spoken of. The Record says:

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hunter, Sr., celebrated their fifty-fifth anniversary of their married life last Monday, the 16th inst. Most of their children were with them. Rarely is it the case that a couple live together so long. The Record wishes the most excellent couple many years of united life yet. Our estimable friend is about as active and full of energy now as most of our young men are. He says he is truly thankful for the many blessings God has vouchsafed to him. It is a blessing to us younger men to have the councils and friendships of such men as Mr. Hunter and we hope he will retain his activity and energy to help us fight the battles of life.

Children who are puny, pale weak, or scrofulous ought to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. That builds up both their flesh and their strength. For this and for purifying the blood there is nothing in all medicine that can equal the Discovery.

In recovering from or in convalescence from pneumonia, fevers, or other wasting diseases, it speedily and surely invigorates and builds up the whole system. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, it aids the work of all the processes of digestion and nutrition, rouses every organ into natural action, and brings back health and strength.

The Safford Express says: A cotton mill man from the North wrote to a gentleman from this place the other day stating that cotton raised in this section was the best in the South for making fine goods. He says the lint is of a finer texture than that raised in any other cotton section. Our farmers would like to know why they are not getting a better price for it.

Badness is often preceded or accompanied by grayness of the hair. Grayness, hair baldness and graying, use Hall's Hair Renewer, an honest remedy.

Failed to Return the Wheel.

Saturday a man giving his name as A. W. Waller, and claiming to hail from Philadelphia, hired a bicycle from W. E. Moss & Co., rode it to Raleigh and pawned it for \$10.00. Mr. Moss got on the fellow's track and Tuesday Henderson. In Raleigh he gave the name of A. W. Dunwell, alias A. Waller. At the preliminary hearing he was discharged for lack of evidence. It is not known whether the fellow is a crook or only playing in hard luck.

Church & Co's.
Citron, Mince Meats and Currants at **CHURCH & CO'S.**

Wanted.
Old gold and silver wanted. We will take old gold and silver for any goods repairs in our line and value the market price. **HIGHT & CO.**
Jewellers and Opticians.

A Mean Act.
Last Thursday morning when the salesmen at Barnes' Clothing Store appeared at their place of business for the purpose of opening up they discovered that the large sign which usually stood in front of the store was missing. The sign consisted of a large cloth covered frame marked "Suits from \$1.50 to \$25.00," etc. It was noticed that the cloth had been completely stripped from the frame, cut to pieces and left lying on the sidewalk. Search was made for the frame which was found later on a back street some distance from the store.

It is hard to conceive the motives that could prompt a person to be guilty of such an outrageous and unwarranted act. It is to be hoped that the party who destroyed the sign (he is a lawbreaker) is the only person in Henderson mean enough to engage in such cowardly business.

NO CURE—NO PAY.
This is the way all druggists sell **GREEN'S** **CHILL** and **FEVER** medicine. It is simply iron and Quinine in a tasteful form. Children love it. Adults refer to it with marvelling tones. Price 50 cents. **Islepipe**

Unbleached and Bleached Domestic very cheap at **H. THOMPSON'S.**

Fine Musical Entertainment.
Henderson was treated to a very fine musical entertainment last Thursday night in the concert given by the Kronberg Concert Company. There was a small but thoroughly appreciative audience, and they enjoyed a select program of ten numbers, consisting of vocal music, violin and piano renditions, solos, etc. The company consists of Mrs. Nannie Hands-Kronberg, soprano; Mrs. S. Kronberg, baritone; Mr. Frank Kennedy, violinist; and Miss Marie Patterson, pianist, each of whom are justly pronounced artists of superior ability.

The singing of Mr. and Mrs. Kronberg was well received and the audience manifested its appreciation by hearty applause.

Mr. Kennedy is a complete master of the violin and one of the most skilled performers on that favorite instrument that ever appeared before a Henderson audience. He was encored repeatedly and each time responded with something better.

Miss Patterson, the charming pianist of the company, demonstrated admirable talent in the musical art. She is a fine accompanist and her work was exceedingly well rendered.

The new goods continue to arrive at H. Thompson's, and they are beautiful and cheap. Call and get first choice.

You can get the *Southern Farmer* one year free by buying one 25 cent bottle of **Coleman's Tobacco Oil Liniment.** Ask W. W. Parker to show you a bottle. Every person using it takes about it so much that others want it also.

Turner's Almanac.
The veteran publisher Mr. James H. Ennis has sent us a copy of Turner's North Carolina Almanac for 1898. This is the "old reliable"—the standard of its class and greets us as a familiar friend. Turner's Almanac is a very valuable State publication. There is no other to compare with it. Ask any question as to our Official State Government, public works, and institutions, the events of the past year, the deaths of prominent citizens, and a great many things relating to the farm, garden, household etc., too numerous to mention, and you will find an answer in Turner's North Carolina Almanac. It is chock full of just such State information as is often needed, for reference, and cannot be had in any other State publication. Every citizen of the State should possess a copy of this valuable annual. Only 10 cents, and for sale by merchants, druggists, and street masters etc., throughout the State and the Publisher, James H. Ennis, Raleigh, N. C.

Wanted.
Canvassers, at a Guaranteed Salary of \$1.50 per day. Address: **W. E. JACKSON,** Waverly, N. C.

Real bargains in Shoes and Hats at **H. THOMPSON'S.**

Applicable to Henderson.
This from the *Farm Chronicle* is applicable to some farms in Henderson as well as elsewhere:

I don't care how big and rich and widely known a concern is, let it take ads out of all papers for say two seasons and it will never again be able to catch up. Why, some dealers take it for a sure sign that a company is falling back, perhaps getting ready to make an assignment when it stops ads and keep out for a longer time than usual. You can send him all the catalogues, circulars, letters, etc., you please, but unless he can find your ad in his paper he don't count you as being in the front rank. No business man can afford to let his ads drop out of the papers that reach his customers.

When wear begins to exceed repair in your clothing, you are going to fall sick. The signs of it are loss of flesh, paleness, weakness, nervousness, etc. The repair needed is food. You think you eat enough, and you feel that you wear out more tissue, energy, nerve-force, than your food makes for you. The difficulty is that you do not digest enough. And this is so serious it is worth sitting down seriously to think about. If you can't digest what you eat, take a few doses of **Shaker Digestive Cordial.** The effect of it will be to increase your flesh and make you feel stronger. You won't fall sick. Proof that it is in control of your repair apparatus. It's easy enough to test this for yourself. Take a few bottles of **Shaker Digestive Cordial.** Sold by druggists at 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

Gents' furnishing goods in all styles and prices to suit the times at **BARDEES.**

Holidays Drawing Near.

The holiday season will soon be upon us, and our business men who hope to receive their share of the increased business which always comes at this season of the year had better commence to prepare for the same. Prospects are that there will be a larger holiday trade this year than there has been for many years.

A business man who has something to sell to this class of trade and will not advertise that fact ought to be made to keep them and no doubt he will.

If you have Christmas goods tell the people through the press. If you want trade invite it. If you want to carry over your stock don't invite it. Don't sit down behind a store box and expect to find out whether you want to sell or not. They will not do this, but will go directly to the place that advertises its goods and call for what they want, knowing that their wants will be supplied.

The **GOLD LEAF** offers to every business man who desires to extend such invitation an unequalled opportunity of so doing by using its columns. If you want to reach the greatest number of homes, secure space in the **GOLD LEAF.**

Don't fail to see the beautiful line of Fall and Winter goods just received at **H. THOMPSON'S.**

Ramon's Pepsin Chili Tonic is the only remedy that cures Chills and Fever and restores the system. It is a stomach and digestive organ. It is so because each dose contains Pure Pepsin sufficient to destroy the germ of disease. 50c at all stores.

Thanksgiving.
This is our annual Thanksgiving Day, an occasion that should be made the most of. As the *Suffolk Herald* truly says, while every day ought to be one of thanksgiving for the blessings we enjoy, still it is very meet and proper to have a special day set apart for observance as a day of national thanksgiving. If there are those who think they have nothing for which to be thankful, let them read and ponder the following sentiments expressed by the talented Southern writer, Frank L. Stanton in the following lines:

For what are we thankful? For this: For the breath and the sunlight of life; For the love that chooses from us, and he on the lips of the mother and wife.

For roses entwining,
For birds and for bloom;
And hopes that are shining
Like stars in the gloom.

For what are we thankful? For this: For the strength and the patience of toil; For even the joys that we miss—
The hope of the seed in the soil.

For souls that are whiter
From day unto day;
And lives that are brighter
From going God's way.

For what are we thankful? For all
The sunshine—the shadow—the song;
The triumphs may wither and fall,
But the world moves in music along!

For simple, sweet living,
For love that each teach it;
A heaven forgiving,
And faith that can reach it!

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of cramp. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy during a severe attack saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business and is a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and he selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of cramp. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine he has ever used, and gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by Dorsey Drug Co.

You can buy Shoes very cheap at **H. THOMPSON'S.**

GOLD LEAF advertisements bring results. That's the kind of advertising that pays.

King's Daughters to Hold a Bazar.
The King's Daughters are making arrangements for a grand bazar to be held on the 14th, 15th and 16th of Dec. It is under the management of those who will make it pleasant and successful. The ladies propose to make it an elaborate affair. There will be a number of Artistic home made confectories, ice cream cake, oysters, toys, embroidery, ready made clothing, etc.

The object of the bazar is to increase the funds of the King's Daughters for charitable purposes. It will be held in some suitable building on Main street and will be open day and night.

Fixed to kill—Cigarettes.

YOU NEED Hood's Sarsaparilla
If your blood is impure, your appetite gone, your health impaired. Nothing builds up health like **HOOD'S**.

Kittrell Letter.
KITRELL, N. C., Nov. 24, 1897.
EDITOR **GOLD LEAF**—Miss Sue White, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives here and at Henderson, left Saturday for Washington, D. C.

Mr. J. W. Fuller, familiarly known as "Zar," was here last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Edna Barr. He returned to Raleigh Saturday.

Messrs. B. A. Capehart and C. L. Blackburn have been among the recent visitors to Raleigh the past week. They went to look after business interests.

Messrs. C. H. Williams, Jr., and Frank Edmunds, who spent Sunday here at the home of Mr. C. H. Williams, Sr.

Mr. Guy V. Barnes, of Raleigh, was here Sunday on a flying visit.

Rev. C. L. Whitaker left Monday for High Point where the Methodist Protestant Conference convenes in its annual session today. He stopped over in Greensboro to attend a reception incident to the installation of the *Church Record* in its new home. The many friends of Rev. Mr. Whitaker will be most estimable wish hope they will be returned to his charge.

Mr. A. F. Fulmer, of Raleigh, yesterday to see his daughter, Mrs. James C. Thompson.

Sheep are sometime taken over a bad road to good pasture.

Something to Know.
It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is **Electric Bitters.** This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. **Electric Bitters** improves the appetite, aids digestion, is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c and \$1.00 per bottle by the Dorsey Drug Co.

Doctors Say; Bilious and Intermittent Fevers which prevail in miasmatic districts are invariably accompanied by derangements of the Stomach Liver and Bowels.

The Secret of Health.
The liver is the great "driving wheel" in the mechanism of man, and when it is out of order, the whole system becomes deranged and disease is the result.

Tutt's Liver Pills
Cure all Liver Troubles.

It is Incomprehensible.
In recent issue the *Weldon News* says:

"We now have before us a copy of the *Weldon and Edfield Mercantile Review*," published once only and which is no more than a handbill. We find in it "write-ups" of a good many business houses. These houses each paid a liberal price for these sheets and what do they get in return?

A few lines that they must distribute and there the matter ends. Now here is the *Romoke News*, an established paper with a good circulation, and laboring weekly to build up the town. When your sons and daughters get married we give them an elaborate send off, and when you die we write you a feeling obituary and all free, gratis and for nothing. Yet we venture the assertion that the business men would not have paid us the amount they paid for this handbill, if we had gone around town and offered to do the work.

It is strange that the *Weldon News* should have to make such a complaint. It is incomprehensible that business men should act as those in Weldon have done in patronizing an advertising scheme gotten up by persons whose only interest in the matter was what money there was in it, still they will do it, and as a general thing seem eager to throw all their patronage away from those who work the hardest for their benefit and the benefit of the community at large. We have had men to whom we have given hundreds of dollars worth of free advertising, and benefited in various other ways, send their work off to some outside "jack-leg who offered to do them a poor job a few cents lower than we would do the work."

Well, it's all in a lifetime, and it is some comfort to know that other men who have proved of benefit to their community get the same dose. Still it is not business, to say the least of it, and the short-sighted individuals who practice it will find that out to their sorrow some day.—Rocky Mount Argonaut.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

Where the Trouble Was.
"Brother," said the minister, "you should try to be content with what you have."

"I am," said the brother, who had been grumbling about it. "It is what I ain't got that I am dissatisfied about."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Inevitable Conclusion.
A philosopher thinks that a 5 cent cigar is as good as one costing three times as much, and keeps on improving in philosophy until he believes that being dead is just as good as living.—Athenian Globe.

Few nations have raised shaving to the dignity of a religious ceremony. In Koran there is no mention of shaving at all, yet the Mohammedans shave their heads in the same manner as the Hindus.

The barbers of India are so soft and light of touch that they can shave a man without awakening him.

HOW TO FIND OUT.
Fill a bottle of common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a white cloud or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

VIAT TO DO.
There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to urinate and sending pain in passing it or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant condition of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet sent free by mail. Mention the **GOLD LEAF** and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor guarantees the genuineness of this offer.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take **Exhaustive Bromo Quinine** Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. 15c. 10c.

Dog Strayed.
A liberal reward will be paid for the return of the pointer dog, two years old, dark liver colored head and ears, perfect teeth, sound on back, all other parts white. Answers to name of Ben. G. L. ADAMS, C. P., Henderson, N. C., or W. H. VALENZUELA, Waverly, Va.

FOR RENT.
Leaf Tobacco Prize Factory and Sales Warehouse.

The well known Watkins leaf tobacco prize factory situated on Main street opposite Harris' warehouse is offered for rent. A splendid building for the purpose designed 40x100 feet, 5 stories high.

Also the sales Warehouse lately occupied by Barr, Jenkins, & Co. Large and commodious building, conveniently located.

For terms and further particulars apply to Edward Hines, Henderson, or address, D. M. HINES, Receiver, Milton, N. C.

As a Tonic, Serrine, Alterative and Blood Purifier **Mrs. J. E. Person's Remedy** is unequalled. Sold in Henderson by the Dorsey Drug Co., Phil H. Thomas and W. W. Parker.

Notice.

BY VIRTUE OF POWER CONFERRED upon me by an order issued from the Superior Court of Vance county in a cause therein pending entitled "Charles G. Patterson and others, vs. the Court," I shall on the

27th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1897, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Henderson, N. C., upon the terms one-half cash, balance on a credit of twelve months, one tract of land in Vance county bounded as follows: On the North by the lands of Jas. M. Ellington, on the East by the lands of Isabella Flemming, on the South by the lands of Chas. Patterson, on the West by the lands of Hileman Robinson, containing 10 acres more or less.

This 23rd November, 1897.
HENRY PERRY, Commissioner.

Notice.
BY VIRTUE OF POWER CONFERRED upon me by a Deed of Trust executed by W. F. Robertson and Mary Ann Robertson on the 26th day of May, 1893, which Deed is recorded in Vance County Book 18, page 401, I shall on the

27th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1897, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., the following real estate to-wit: One certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Vance County, Sandy Creek township, adjoining the lands of Chas. G. Patterson, on the North and others being on Sandy Creek, containing 47 1/2 acres more or less. It being the land whereon said W. F. Robertson and Mary Ann Robertson reside.

This 23rd day of November, 1897.
W. F. CHEATHAM, JR., Trustee.

Notice.
BY VIRTUE OF POWER CONFERRED upon me by a Deed of Trust duly executed on the 22nd day of January, 1895, by Plummer Perry and wife, A. H. Ball and wife and Lucy Perry, which deed is recorded in Vance County Book 19, page 175, I shall on the

27th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1897, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., the following real estate to-wit: All the interest of the above parties (being 25 undivided interests) in and to a tract of land lying and being in Vance County, adjoining the lands of the late A. L. Sted, Edward Allen, Robt. Wilson, Augustus Fuller, Lawton Boyter and Mark Richardson, it being the tract purchased by Warren Perry by deed duly recorded in Vance county. The whole tract containing 37 acres more or less.

This 23rd day of November, 1897.
W. F. CHEATHAM, JR., Trustee.

Notice.
BY VIRTUE OF POWER CONFERRED upon me by an order issued from the Superior Court of Vance county in a cause therein pending entitled D. Y. Cooper vs. A. J. Wright and wife, I shall on MONDAY, JANUARY 2d, 1898, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., one certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Vance and Granville counties, adjoining the lands of J. L. Wright, Mrs. Clarke and others and bounded as follows: On the North by a white oak at the corner of the late A. L. Sted, Edward Allen, Robt. Wilson, Augustus Fuller, Lawton Boyter and Mark Richardson, it being the tract purchased by Warren Perry by deed duly recorded in Vance county. The whole tract containing 37 acres more or less.

This 23rd day of November, 1897.
A. C. ZOLLIFFER, Commissioner.

TOWN TAXES.
OFFICE OF TOWN TAX COLLECTOR, HENDERSON, N. C., Sept. 28th, '97.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Tax Books for the town of Henderson for the year 1897, have been placed in my hands for collection. All persons are requested to make note of the change in law and govern themselves accordingly. No discretion is allowed me and I therefore ask those who have not paid their taxes to come forward for the current year to meet me and make settlement. AT ONCE and as the law requires, as further collection cannot be given, and by attending to this matter NOW you will save me trouble and yourself cost, as I will be compelled to sue by LEVY AND SALE all taxes not paid by the time prescribed.

J. L. CURRIN, Town Tax Collector.

Notice.
BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER CONFERRED upon me by a deed of trust duly executed by J. N. Tunstall and wife, on the 21st of January, 1897, which deed is recorded in Vance county, Book 1, page 487, I shall, at the request of the holder of the deed, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Henderson, N. C., the following lot of land situated in Henderson, N. C., to-wit: Begin at a stake on Southall avenue, Laughlin's corner, fifty feet from Hayes corner, thence along said Southall avenue 200 feet to Laughlin's corner, in Watkins' line; thence along Watkins' line 100 feet to a stake; thence along said Southall avenue fifty feet to Laughlin's corner; the place of beginning.

This 23rd October, 1897.
A. C. ZOLLIFFER, Trustee.

LAND OF GOLD.
LARGE DIVIDENDS ON SMALL INVESTMENTS.
NEW YORK AND ALASKA GOLD EXPLORATION & TRADING CO.
(Incorporated.)
Capital Stock, \$1,000,000, in shares of ONE DOLLAR EACH. FULL PAID, NON ASSESSABLE.

NOW OWNS 2,000 ACRES ALONG THE COPPER AND YUKON RIVERS. Equal to 10,000 Canadian mining claims, each worth \$100,000, and offers a portion of this property to investors for \$100,000. ADVANCE IN PRICE WITHOUT NOTICE. To raise money for the purpose of the present property and for trading and prospecting.

Stock may be paid for in installments. President, CHESTER H. HOAG, New York. Vice-President, THEODORE D. PALMER, New York. Secretary and Treasurer, J. E. PERRY, New York. ALASKA MANAGER, LUCAS C. PERRY, New York. NEW YORK OFFICE, 100 Broadway. ALASKA DEVELOPMENT CO., J. A. McFARLANE, Fairbanks, Alaska.

Mr. Perry writes that according to the report of the Fairbanks party, who have been in the field and should have no competitors in winning the gold prize. Call or write for prospectus and shares.

Make all checks and drafts payable to **New York and Alaska Gold Exploration & Trading Co.** 100 Broadway, New York, N. Y. LIVE AGENT WANTED IN EVERY TOWN.

Bargains
In Drummers' samples—Combs and Tooth Brushes. Call early. 140c30 W. W. PARKER.

R. S. MCCOIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, HENDERSON, N. C. Office upstairs in Harris' law building near Court House.

Pure Blood

Blood means sound health. With pure, rich, healthy blood, the stomach and digestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia. Rheumatism and Neuralgia will be unknown. Scrofula and Salt Rheum will disappear. With pure

Your nerves will be strong, and your sleep sound, sweet and refreshing. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure blood. That is why it cures so many diseases. That is why so many thousands take it to cure disease, retain good health, prevent sickness and suffering. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Is the One True Blood Purifier. \$1 per bottle. Hood's Pills take easy to operate. 25c.